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Applicants : John C. Lee and Lee-Chuan C. Yeh
Examiner : D. Romeo
Group Art Unit : 1647
Application No. : 09/287,500
Confirmation No. : 6377
Filed : April 7, 1999
For : COMPOSITIONS AND THERAPEUTIC METHODS USING
MORPHOGENIC PROTEINS AND STIMULATORY
FACTORS

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

New York, New York
July 16, 2001

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are: (1) a Reply to Office Action; (2) Appendix of Amended Claims; (3) a Petition for Extension of Time; (4) Information Disclosure Statement; (5) PTO-1449; and (6) References as disclosed in PTO-1449.

A fee for additional claims is required. The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA		RATE		ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	35	-	33	=	2		X	\$ 18	= \$36
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	-	4	=	0		X	\$ 80	= \$0

FIRST PRESENTATION OF A
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM

+ \$270 = \$

TOTAL \$36

The Director is hereby authorized to charge in the amount of \$36 in payment of the fee for additional claims, to the Deposit Account No. 06-1075.

The following extension is applicable to the Response filed herewith: \$890.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

A check in the amount of \$890.00 in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.



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